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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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• Additional claim fees of \$1266 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

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- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1266
 - \$258 for 3 independent claims over 3.
 - \$1008 for 56 total claims over 20.

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